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Twenty-first Annual Meeting

of the

Pennsylvania-German Society

Senate Chamber of the State Capitol

Harrisburg, Penna.

Friday, October 20th, 1911

10 o'clock A. M.

The Pennsylvania-German Society

At Harrisburg, Penna.

Officers of the Society

President, Rev. Henry E. Jacobs, D.D., LL.D.

Vice Presidents, { Robert C. Bair, Esq.
B. F. Fackenthal, Esq.

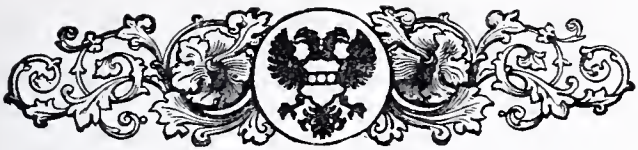
Secretary, George T. Ettinger, Ph.D.

Treasurer, Julius F. Sachse, Litt.D.

The Executive Committee of the Society meets four times a year, and is composed of ten members.

Headquarters

Commonwealth Hotel, Southeast corner of Market Square.



Morning Session

10 to 11:30 A.M.

Invocation . . . . . Rev. Ellis N. Kremer, D.D., Pastor of Salem Reformed Church, Harrisburg.

Address of Welcome . Daniel S. Seitz, Esq., City Solicitor, Harrisburg.

Address in Response to Welcome:
"Our Twenty-first Anniversary,"
Hon. Daniel C. Gerberich, M.D., State Senator XVII District, Lebanon.

Address of the President Rev. Henry E. Jacobs, D.D., LL.D., Mt. Airy Theological Seminary, Dean of the Faculty, Philadelphia.

Report of the Secretary George Taylor Ettinger, Ph.D., Allentown.

Report of the Treasurer Julius F. Sachse, Litt.D., Philadelphia.

Nomination and Election of Officers

Reports of Committees and New Business

11:30 A.M. to 12 M.

Recess

Exhibition of Historical Treasures and Memorials of Capitol Hill, under the direction of Thomas Lynch Montgomery, A.B., State Librarian, Harrisburg.

Luncheon

tendered Free to the Members of the Society

In the Auditorium of the School Department,
Main Capitol Building.

12:15 to 1:15 P.M.

An hour for sight seeing and visiting the State Capitol, Home of the Historical Society of Dauphin County, and other points of interest.

1:15 to 2:15 P.M.

Members and their friends are invited to and will be welcomed at the home of the Historical Society, No. 9 South Front Street.

Visitors on this occasion have been tendered the privileges of the Home by resolution of the Society.

Afternoon Session

2:15 to 5 P. M.

Dr. Jacobs Presiding; Reading and Discussion of Papers:

1. The Influence of the Pennsylvania-Germans in the Development of our Public School System. Rev. Nathan C. Schaeffer, D.D., Ph.D., LL.D., State Superintendent of Public Schools, Harrisburg, Pa.

2. Discussion of the paper by members of the Society.

3. The Pennsylvania-German in the Settlement of Maryland. Daniel Wunderlich Nead, M.D., Buffalo, N. Y.

4. Discussion of the paper by members of the Society.

5. Charles Calvin Zeigler, a Pennsylvania-German Poet. Harry H. Reichard, Ph.D., Professor of Greek, Penna. State College.

6. Discussion of the paper by members of the Society.

7. Closing Remarks by the Newly Elected President.

Annual Banquet

The Annual Banquet will be held in the Auditorium of the Board of Trade, West Market Street.

Guests will be seated promptly at six o'clock.

JAMES M. LAMBERTON, ESQ., will act as Toastmaster.

The tickets for the banquet will be sold at the usual price, gentlemen's tickets two dollars; ladies' tickets one dollar and a half. These tickets can be obtained from the Chairman of the local committee, Mr. George A. Gorgas, or his assistants, either at the headquarters of the Society, the Commonwealth Hotel, at the Senate Chamber, or at the office of the Board of Trade.

Committees

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